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# DIVORCE ACTION IS RADIO OPERATOR'S ONLY FEAR

## OBSTRUCTION BLOCKS WORK OF RESCUERS

## Continuous Work Kept Up to Reach Forty-three Miners

Ironwood, Mich., Sept. 28.—(AP)—The raise that has been doggedly dug upward thirty feet to the twenty-first level of Pabst mine shaft was completed today.

Immediate rescue of the 43 men imprisoned on the eighth level was not possible because the shaft obstruction around which the raise was built, extends above the twenty-first level. An old raise between the twenty-first and twentieth levels is being put in shape and already 75 more feet have been won. With 25 feet to go and ladders to erect, it is hoped to reach the twentieth level in sixteen hours.

An attempt to signal the prisoners by Morse code from the top of the shaft was made this morning by Joseph Severin, local night operator of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad. Accompanied by a shift boss, an official of Oliver Iron Mining Company, owners of the property and an Associated Press correspondent, Severin was lowered in the cage to the actual place in G shaft where the cage in occurred.

### Tapping Uncertain

There for an hour the Morse code for "ok" was sent the imprisoned miners who, rescue workers said, had resumed the tapping heard yesterday afternoon. Tapping was heard at 1 a. m. and again at 4 a. m. But though all work on the shaft was halted, none of the men during the hour the rest was made could be certain that the sound heard in the silence periods was tapping, the sound of operations the prisoners were making to free themselves, or some echo in the huge cavern.

Occasionally a sharp, ringing sound could be heard faintly by some men as if the trapped men were hitting hand drills with sledges. The sound might have come from the air pump exhaust except for the fact that the air is not connected in the shaft and at times for hours this sound ceases, only to resume mysteriously. The air pumps never cease operating.

### First Aid Preparations

Elaborate preparations have been made for the care of the miners if they are brought out alive. The first to enter the shaft after access is gained at the prisoners, will be trained first aid men.

They will carry down blankets to wrap around the miners, light soups to start their diets, and will blindfold their eyes. Every man who comes up from the long spell in darkness will be blindfolded regardless of his physical condition to prevent the severe shock of daylight.

The men brought out will be taken to the railway car of the bureau of mines which is on a siding less than 100 feet from the mine head and which will be used as a receiving yard. It has six Pullman berths and seven cots will be placed in it. Those requiring further hospital care will be taken in ambulances and heated trucks to hospitals.

### Diamond Drill at Work

The tedious task of boring a small hole 400 feet into the earth through which to pass food to the miners was ready to start today. The diamond drill has been set up in the second level of the mine. If it encounters no strata of rock it should be able to bore 100 feet in 24 hours.

Considerable progress was made over night in the effort to establish a passageway between the Pabst mine and the adjoining mine of the Aurora Company. No half is made to measure the distance covered by the crews of sixteen men working in four hour shifts. They are boring a hole from the Aurora mine towards the eighth level of the Pabst mine where the miners are entombed. Artificial ventilation and electric lights were installed in the Aurora mine yesterday to aid in the work.

### New Heating Plant for Nachusa Tavern Installed

Guests at the Nachusa Tavern last night did not have steam heat in their rooms, but were accommodated with electric heaters. Manager Cal Butterfield is having a fine new heating system installed in the hotel, the work being done by Kline & Heckman of this city. Heating engineers dismantled the old boiler which has been in service for several years yesterday and worked throughout the night, removing it and installing the big new Kewanee boiler.

### TRAIN HIT AUTO: TWO HURT

Bloomington, Ill., Sept. 28.—(AP)—Clayton Griffith and George Shina, bather of Danvers, are patients at a local hospital with fractured skull broken arms sustained when their automobile was struck by an east bound Limited Big Four train at Woodruff Crossing yesterday.

## GOVT. WARNED OF TROPICAL STORM TODAY

### Disturbance Near Porto Rico Moving North-westward Today

Washington, Sept. 28.—(AP)—The Weather Bureau today issued the following storm warning:

Advisory 10 a. m. There are indications of a tropical disturbance central several hundred miles north of Porto Rico, intensity unknown. It is likely moving northward or westward.

### ILLINOIS RIVER HIGH

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 28.—(AP)—The Illinois river this morning stood at slightly under 22 feet. An all night rain is expected to bring still a higher point. This is the highest the river has been since the flood stage of 24.5 three years ago.

### NEW DECATOR RECORD

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 28.—(AP)—A twenty four hour drizzle of rain that had not ended this morning, at 7 a. m., had sent the month's total rainfall to 16.1 inches.

## STANDARD OIL CO. MAKES EXTENSIVE IMPROVEMENT HERE

### New Tanks and Warehouse on River Street Part of Year's Work

The Standard Oil company is spending several thousand dollars on their Dixon storage plant this fall, completely rebuilding the equipment on East River street. The old storage tanks have been dismantled and heavily reinforced concrete abutments built upon which the old tanks now rest and new ones have been added. The storage capacity for gasoline and oils at the Dixon plant has been increased to approximately 120,000 gallons.

In addition to the storage tanks, a new warehouse has been erected together with a fine garage which will house the fleet of several trucks operating from the local plant. Manager M. E. Potter hopes to have the work completed in a short time and the new plant in full operation with its materially increased capacity.

The company, it is reported today, plans extensive improvements at the filling station on Galent avenue and Third street, which may be started this winter. It is rumored that the present station may be moved or razed and a fine new structure built on the site, affording three drives instead of the two now serving. The Third street station was among the pioneers in the filling stations in Dixon and has been one of the busiest stations in the state from the records of the Chicago general offices.

A force of men started work this morning making improvements at the station, by lowering the big storage tanks. When this work is completed the station will be equipped with three of the latest type of visible pumps. Improvements have also been made at the company's station on Boyd street and Galena avenue this summer.

**Rockwood Sentenced to Vandalia State Farm**

Russell Rockwood, 21, of Shaw, entered a plea of guilty to an information charging him with drawing a check to defraud in the county court before Judge William L. Leech yesterday afternoon and was sentenced to serve one year at the state farm at Vandalia, where he will be taken tomorrow by Sheriff Elliott C. Risley.

Rockland Blankenship, 17, of Lee Center, was taken before Judge Harry L. Heer in the circuit court yesterday afternoon on a charge of larceny of an automobile and was placed on parole for a period of one year.

### ROOF FIRE AT CAFE

The fire department made a run to Eastman's Cafe yesterday where sparks from a chimney had set fire to the roof. The blaze was extinguished with but slight damage to the property which was covered by insurance.

**WANT \$13,000,000 TO OPERATE FEDERAL PROHIBITION AGENCY DURING COMING FISCAL YEAR**

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Assistant Secretary Andrews said today this appropriation contemplated no material increase over the present allotment although appropriations for the coast guard and customs services which also participate in prohibition enforcement, increased the actual total for prohibition enforcement con-

## G. O. P. CARAVAN STARTS TRIP OF STATE OCT. 4th

### State Candidates and Officers to Cover Entire State

Chicago—To cover the entire State of Illinois in ten days of fast, intensive campaigning, is the task set for the Republican state-wide candidates by the Republican State Central Committee. The drive for Republican votes will begin at noon on Monday, October 4th, at Paxton; it will end Thursday night, October 14th, at Waukegan.

In arranging the campaign the State Central Committee has followed the plan first put in practice six years ago when Frank L. Smith, as State Chairman, managed the Harding-McKinley-Small campaign, and which, in an elaborated form, was employed so successfully by Chairman Smith in the Coolidge-Deneen-Small campaign two years ago. Six years ago the trip was made by special train. Two years ago, however, automobiles were used, and that will be the method of travel this year, the completion of so many hundreds of miles of hard roads making it not only possible, but easy to reach every part of the state by motor vehicles.

This year's trip will be much more extensive than the trip of six years ago, or the one two years ago. The schedule requires the "Caravan," to use the popular designation given the Coolidge-Deneen-Small party, to visit every downstate congressional district and to hold two or more meetings in each district. Thirty-eight meetings are to be held in all in the ten days, the schedule being as follows:

Monday, October 4—Noon, Paxton; night, Champaign and Danville.

Tuesday, October 5—Noon, Mattoon and Paris; night, Pana and Lawrenceville.

Wednesday, October 6—Noon, Benton and Harrisburg; night, Carbondale, Marion, Herrin and West Frankfort.

Thursday, October 7—Noon, Centralia and Chester; night, East St. Louis, Alton, Edwardsville and Belleville.

Friday, October 8—Noon, Jacksonville and Carlinville; night, Springfield and Decatur.

Saturday, October 9—Noon, Bloomington; night, Ottawa, LaSalle and Streator.

Monday, October 11—Night, Peoria, Canton and Pekin.

Tuesday, October 12—Noon, Galesburg.

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### WEATHER

**IT'S A WASTE OF TIME LOOKING FOR THE 'MISSING' LINK IN A CHAIN STORE**



(C.N.E.A.)

TUESDAY, SEPT. 28, 1926  
By Associated Press Leased Wire

Illinois—Unsettled tonight and Wednesday; probably showers, slightly warmer tonight in extreme north and streeter south portion Wednesday.

Chicago and Vicinity—Cloudy tonight and Wednesday; showers probable; slowly rising temperature; gentle to moderate shifting winds.

Wisconsin—Probably fair in north, unsettled in south portion tonight and Wednesday; warmer tonight and in extreme south portion Wednesday.

Iowa—Fair in northwest; mostly cloudy in east and south portions tonight and Wednesday; possible in extreme southeast portion; slightly warmer tonight and in east and south portions Wednesday.

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## "WAIT AND SEE" IS KEWANEE MAN'S ADMONITION WHEN HIS \$9,000,000 FAILS TO "SHOW"

### Ex-Princeton Man, Known in Dixon, in Race



HUGH S. MAGILL

Former State Senator, who has announced himself as an independent Republican candidate for the United States Senatorship from Illinois. Mr. Magill was at one time superintendent of schools at Princeton, Bureau county, and is well known here.

## BRENNAN'S WIFE OPENS CAMPAIGN FOR SICK HUSBAND

### Attacks Volstead Act in Fiery Speeches at Quincy Today

Quincy, Ill., Sept. 28.—(AP)—The wife of George E. Brennan, Democratic candidate for the United States Senate, took the stump today for her disabled husband and carried to two audiences here a plea for revision of prohibition legislation.

She spoke at a luncheon tendered by democratic women and later at a conference of democratic workers.

"I am glad to speak for my husband," she told the women, "because on the outstanding issue of this campaign we think alike. I opposed the Volstead act from the beginning. When it passed I was certain that its enforcement would be impossible in a free country."

A determined rally by the champion saved the match after she had been one down coming to the fourteenth tee. From here on she recovered command of her putter after requiring three strokes on many greens in the early part of the duel and finally evened the score at the 16th.

Playing in three under women par for the last seven holes of the contest, she then won both the seventeenth to clinch her victory.

Steady rain, threatening to settle into an all day downpour fell on the starters in the first round of match play this morning. Rain coats and waterproof jackets were donned with golf shoes as the 31 women who will try to wrest Glenna Collett's title at the champion over the soggy links.

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## TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

## Chicago Grain Table

	By Associated Press Leased Wires	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—					
Sept.	1.36	1.36%	1.34%	1.34%	
Dec.	1.39%	1.40%	1.38%	1.38%	
May	1.44%	1.45	1.42%	1.43%	
CORN—					
Sept.	74%	74%	73%	73%	
Dec.	80%	81%	80	80	
May	88	88%	87%	87%	
OATS—					
Sept.	41	41%	40%	41%	
Dec.	43%	44	43%	43%	
May	47	47%	47%	47%	
RYE—					
Sept.	86%	96%	95%	95%	
Dec.	1.01%	1.01%	1.00%	1.00%	
May	1.07%	1.07%	1.06%	1.06%	
LARD—					
Sept.	14.17	14.17	14.15	14.17	
Oct.	14.17	14.20	14.12	14.15	
RIBS—					
Sept.	14.50				
Oct.	13.25				
BELLIES—					
Sept.	16.60				
Oct.	16.12				

## Chicago Produce

Chicago, Sept. 28.—(AP)—Potatoes: Receipts 74 cars; on track 319; U. S. shipments 606; steady; Wisconsin sacked and bulk round whites best 2.25@2.50; Minnesota sacked round whites 1.75@2.25; Minnesota, North Dakota, sacked Red River Ohios 2.30@2.50; Colorado sacked brown beauties 2.25@2.75; Idaho sacked rurals 2.50@2.85; Michigan sacked round whites 2.25@2.50.

Poultry alive, firm, receipts 24 cars; fowls 19@26%; springs 22@1%; turkeys 34; roasters 18; ducks 24; geese 12.

Butter: lower; receipts 14,112 tubs; creamery extras 44; standards 41%; extra flats 42@43; firsts 37@40; seconds 33@36%.

Eggs: unchanged; 7827 cases.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, Sept. 28.—(AP)—Hogs: 20,000; 15@250 lower on average weight under 240 lbs. as compared with best Monday; light hogs and pigs in improved demand; heavy butchers and packing sows steady to shade lower; top 18@18; 180 or 240 lbs. 13.25@13.60; 250 to 300 lbs. butchers 13.00@13.45; packing sows 10.50@12.25; slaughter pigs 11.25@12.40; heavy hogs 12.40@13.50; mediums 13.00@13.6; light 12.5@13.60; light hogs 11.50@13.15.

Cattle: 9000; slightly improved action on yearlings and medium fed steers, steady; practically nothing done in inbetrays; few loads of yearlings 12.00; some held higher; numerous yearlings and light steers 9.50@11.50; all cutters strong; low cutters under 4.00; bulls steady, bulk mediums 5.35@5.85; vealers around 50c higher; selected kind to packers 15.50.

## Too Late to Classify

NOTICE.  
ALL CLASSIFIED ADS MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY THE MONEY. THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE. NO ADVERTISEMENT COUNTED LESS THAN 25 WORDS.

FOR SALE—1925 Essex Coach, like new.

1925 Buick Six, 2-Door Sedan, A1, like new.

1925 Ford Coupe, looks and runs like new.

1925 Buick Six Sedan, A1 through out.

These cars look and run good as new and guaranteed.

Trade or terms.

F. G. ENO, Buick Sales & Service, 22813.

FOR SALE—Copper Clad cook stove, Earl Harris, Phone 3210. 22813.

WANTED—General houseware, Ad- dress "X. X." by letter care of this office. 22813.

FOR RENT—Furnished front room, suitable for two, in modern home, close in 319 E. Second St. Tel. X480. 22813.

FOR RENT—6-room modern house at 915 E. Chamberlain St., Tel. X1119; also lot 50x162@ with new garage on for sale. 22813.

FOR RENT—5-room flat with garage, for sale, Player Piano and Roll, in fine condition, and some extra furniture. 711 Peoria Ave. 22813.

FOR RENT—120-acre farm in Marion township. Inquire of F. N. Vaughan, Amboy, Ill. 22616.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping in modern home. No children. Phone R1157. 22813.

FOR RENT—The McGrail \$8-acre farm in Marion township. Inquire Jas. McGrail, 418 Jackson Ave. Tel. R1157. 22813.

FOR RENT—2 rooms on ground floor for housekeeping. Handy location. Monroe Avenue, between Second and Third Sts. Gas, electricity, city and cistern water. Rent \$12. G. C. Love. 22813.

WANTED—At once, several experienced men's furnishing and shoe salesmen. Must have A1 references. Apply Golds, 221 W. First St. 11.

FOR SALE—Reliable gas range, nearly new, \$40; 4 mahogany dining chairs, \$20; 1 Vernon Martin bed, springs and mattress, \$18; Reed rocker newly upholstered, \$10; cane back bed room rocker, \$4. Call phone K646. 11.

WANTED—2 factory men for board and room. Phone X716. 22813.

FOR SALE—Gas stove. Phone X716. 22813.

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping, also garage if desired. Call at 318 West Sixth St. or Phone X728. 22813.

FOR SALE—Ford truck, cheap, at Box Factory. A. J. Kimble. 11.

WANTED—To work by the day. Will do washing, cleaning and ironing. Phone M443 and ask for Mrs. Hart. 22813.

FOR RENT—3 modern furnished rooms and bath. Also garage if desired. 905 W. Second St. Phone B644. 22813.

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# PAGE for WOMEN

## SOCIETY NEWS

Tuesday

Board Dixon Woman's club—Mrs. H. C. Bartholomew, 733 East Third street.

Women of Mooseheart Legion— Moose Hall.

Practical Club—Mrs. G. P. Powell, 309 E. Third St.

Wednesday

South Dixon Community Club—Mrs. Ralph Lehman, Dutch Road.

H. S. P. T. A.—South Side H. S. Building.

Kingdon-Mt. Union Aid Society—Mrs. Julius Hill, Route 4.

High School Parent-Teacher Association—South Side High School.

Thursday

Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. Richard Cortright, 805 Peoria Ave.

Altar and Rosary Society Sewing Club—Mrs. Charles Plein, 203 Monroe avenue.

W. H. &amp; F. M. S. of Bethel U. E. Church—Mrs. Harrison Wadsworth, south of town.

Elks Dance—At club house for members of Elks lodge and their ladies.

Zion Household Science Club—Mrs. Lydia Clymer, southwest of Dixon.

Ladies of the G. A. R. and Comrades—Tea at home of Mrs. Etta Fassler on West First street.

Minnie Bell Rebekah Sewing Club—I. O. O. F. Hall.

St. Ann's Guild—St. Luke's Church.

Friday

4:00—Iris troop meeting.

GOING TO EMMAUS—

Ere ye they brought their journey to an end.

A stranger joined them, courteous as a friend,

And asked them with a kind engag-

ing air

What their affliction was, and begged a share.

Informed, he gathered up the broken thread,

And, truth and wisdom gracing all he said,

Explained, illustrated, and searched so well

The tender theme, on which they chose to dwell,

That reaching home, "The night," they said, "is near,

We must not now be parted, sojourn here."

The new acquaintance soon became a guest,

And, made so welcome at their simple feast,

He blessed the bread, but vanished at the word.

And left them both exclaiming,

"Twas the Lord!

Did not our hearts feel all He deigned to say,

Did they not burn within us by the way?"

—Cowper. "Conversation."

### Menus for the Family

BY SISTER MARY.

the former's vacation from his duties at the post office.

### W. R. C. Held Interesting Meeting Monday

Dixon Relief Corps, No. 218, Ap

bility to the Grand Army of the Republic

held a very interesting meeting

Monday afternoon, September 27th in Grand Army Hall.

Balloting on candidates was part of the regular work.

Mrs. Demarest, Chairman of relief, made her usual splendid

report of clothing distributed, many

cans made on the sick, donating a

comforter and rag rug to the Colored

Community Home and the sewing

day held at the home of Mrs. Mc

Kinney, when 32 chairs backs and

cushions were completed.

These articles were exceptionally pretty

this year made from samples of

cretonne donated by a member of

the Corps and will be divided between

the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home and

the Widows' Homes when

Christmas Boxes are sent to these

Institutions.

The President added a short report to this, that a sack of

carpet rags was sent this week to

the Elgin Hospital and this made a

total of 91 lbs. of carpet rags sent

to the various hospitals so far this

year.

\$10 was voted to the Florida Relief

Fund.

This mixture can be frozen with

or without stirring. If frozen with

out stirring, scrape the mixture down

from the sides of the mold several

times during the freezing.

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### ZION HOUSEHOLD SCIENCE CLUB TO MEET—

The Zion Household Club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Lydia Clymer at her home southwest of Dixon. Roll call will be answered with Sewing hints. Papers of their own choice will be given by Miss Marian Jensen and Mrs. Henry Wolf. The recreational program for the afternoon will be in charge of the hostess.

### DROVE TO CHICAGO SATURDAY TO MEET GUESTS—

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sipe drove to Chicago Saturday afternoon to meet Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Perkins of Madison, Ind., parents of Mrs. Sipe, who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sipe to Dixon for a brief visit here. They leave with Mr. and Mrs. Sipe in a day or so on a trip to Iowa to visit friends and will then leave for Madison, Ind., where Mr. and Mrs. Sipe will visit relatives and friends during

support of all lovers of good music and worth while entertainment.

### ST. ANN GUILD TO MEET THURSDAY

St. Ann's Guild of St. Luke's church will meet Thursday afternoon instead of Wednesday afternoon at the guild rooms, because of the funeral of Ralph Johnson of Palmyra to be held Wednesday. Mrs. Johnson is a member of the Guild.

### FIRST ENTERTAINMENT FEATURE THURSDAY EVENING—

The first entertainment feature of the Dixon Lodge of Elks will be held at the club house Thursday evening, Sept. 30. The entertainment committee have arranged for the first dancing party of the fall-winter season for members of the Lodge and their ladies.

### ENTERTAINED AT DR. MOORE HOME—SUNDAY

Dr. and Mrs. A. F. Moore entertained at their home Sunday Dr. and Mrs. George Moore and son of Aledo, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moore and daughter of Polo, in honor of Mrs. Marcia Moore of Walla Walla, Wash., mother of Doctor A. F. Moore, Doctor George Moore and Mr. Frank Moore.

### TO ENTERTAIN AT TEA THURSDAY—

Mrs. Etta Fassler, President of the Ladies Circle of the G. A. R. will entertain the members of the Circle and the Comrades at a tea at her home on West First street Thursday afternoon, and all members and Comrades are cordially invited to attend.

### MINNIE BELL SEWING CLUB TO MEET—

The members of the Minnie Bell Sewing Club will enjoy a picnic supper Thursday evening at 6:30 in Grand Army hall. "Grandma" Hopkins was not able to join her family at Mrs. Shippert's picnic but will be at the tea, and will be glad to meet her friends there.

### ATTENDED WEDDING IN SOUTH BEND, IND.—

Comrade Johnson gave a splendid talk and report of the Grand Army Encampment which he attended at Des Moines the past week. The Corps always listens with great pleasure to Comrade Johnson, and appreciates so much his many kindnesses.

### Comrade Shelhamer told of his western trip, and Comrade Coltrin also made a few remarks.

The Corps then closed in regular form.

### DIXON CIVIC MUSIC ASSOCIATION MAKING PLANS—

The Dixon Civic Music Association is making plans for an interesting series of entertainments for this fall and winter season. The last season's members are being interviewed this week and the campaign or drive for new members will start next week. This worthy movement deserves the

IS A GUEST AT THE HOME OF DR. AND MRS. MOORE—

### JOINT MEETING AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—

The Dorcas and Missionary societies of the Congregational church will

have a joint meeting at the church at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Sealio is used by thousands who swear by it. You will, too, of you will try a box. Ask your druggist.

### Learned Women Evidence They Can Combine Careers and Motherhood

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Whether women can combine a professional career with the duties of wife and mother has been a moot question in London since the learned women, chiefly single, gave the ball another sprightly fling at the University Women's conference in Amsterdam.

The woman novelist is not dependent on marital experience in portraying passion. Intuition taught Jane Austin the secrets of the heart, as did the three Bronte Sisters. If Charlotte's brief year of married life, during which she undoubtedly was handicapped by her clerical husband and ceased to write, is excepted.

He Helped Her Writing

George Elliot's genius required the talents of experience. She might have remained a highbrow spinster writing articles for the reviews, if she had not the stimulating companionship of George Henry Lewis. Prompted by him she leapt into fame with "Adam Bede."

In her second husband, Mr. Cross, she again found an invigorating companion.

Mrs. Flora Annie Steel, dean of British women novelists, has combined literature and the domesticities in a remarkable manner. Marriage made her a novelist. She says that she has never felt that her worth suffered from marriage and motherhood and also thinks that "no woman can really understand life until she has borne children."

Still, she adds, "for really professional women I rather doubt the wisdom of motherhood."

Actress Rejoices in Family

Actresses nearly all marry. Miss Sybil Thorndike attributes her success to the tutelage and aid of her husband, Lewis Casson. She rejoices, too, as the mother of four children, two boys and two girls. They have helped her to a realization of the frenzy of outraged wifehood and motherhood in her portrayal of "Medea."

Dame Clara Butt and Mr. Kinerley Munford prove that marriage is no deterrent in the musical profession.

Asked if she felt her husband and children to be a hindrance to her

work, Dame Clara laughed at the suggestion.

### As A Politician

The newest profession for women, that of M. P., has an interesting example in Lady Astor of married partnership in politics. Lady Astor has said that if it had not been for my husband I would never have entered Parliament."

When succession to his title compelled Lord Astor to leave the Commons for the Lords, he, though "the most domestic creature alive," urged his wife to contest his old seat at Plymouth so that she might work in Parliament for the special reforms dear to them both.

"Do my children look neglected?" Lady Astor often asked, "because I am trying to promote better laws for other people's children?"

### Active in Religion

Mrs. Louise Creighton, widow of the late Bishop of London, is an outstanding example of a woman tremendously active all her married life.

In parochial and national church organizations, a public speaker, the author of many books, and the mother of seven children. Mrs. Creighton accomplished the herculean task of making both ends meet in the management of Fulham Palace, when her husband was Bishop of London.

Headmistresses and women college professors seem the class least able to unite marriage with their profession.

### Supper at Schuler Cottage Was Enjoyed

A company of fourteen friends motored to the Schuler cottage down the river last evening where they enjoyed a delicious picnic supper and spent a happy evening in games and dancing honoring Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Perkins, parents of Mrs. Jay Sipe of Indiana. The supper was also a farewell courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sipe, in reciprocity for happy entertainments at the Sipe home, where this merry company of friends have spent many enjoyable hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Sipe, accompanied by

Madam Curie, a brilliant exception to the women of science whose

marriage stimulated her studies and

led to the discovery of radium. With

the great French woman may be classed the late Lady Huggins, whose youthful interest in the stars developed into a partnership in study and

Thursday on a vacation auto trip to visit in Iowa and Illinois and at the old home in Indiana.

The feature of the first part of the evening was the tempting supper

followed by dancing, and it was late before anyone even mentioned

"home." The entire occasion was one

of great pleasure to everyone present.

This evening Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Killian will entertain at their home for Mr. and Mrs. Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Sipe. The guests

last evening included the following:

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Perkins, Mr.

and Mrs. J. W. Sipe, Mrs. Lily Wool-

er, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Eaton, Mr.

and Mrs. Oliver Killian, Mr. and

Mrs. M. L. Neakes, William Ladd,

Miss Bess Eaton and Max Stein-

hauer.

### CLUB ENJOYED PICNIC LUNCHEON SATURDAY—

The members of the Kendall club enjoyed a picnic luncheon Saturday at the home of Mrs. George Dixon.

### PERMANENT WAVE Expert Operators

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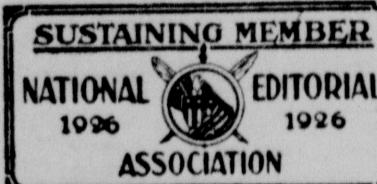
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## USE OF COLLEGE EDUCATION.

President Coolidge gave a wholesome contribution to the country when he authorized the publication of an interview given just before he left the Adirondacks for Washington. It tends to make one regret that such offerings do not come more often.

Nearly every paragraph was rich with food for thought, but what he said about a college education is of particular interest now, when thousands of young people are making their decisions as to their courses in school and in life. Expressing the opinion that as many boys and girls as possible ought to have a college education, the president said:

"I think one of the mistakes lies in thinking that because a boy or girl has a college education he or she must therefore seek a professional career. It is my observation that in large cities the legal profession especially is overmanned, so that many young men are doing a very small practice and are receiving a very small compensation. A college education ought to befit a man or woman to be content in any occupation because it enlarges the capacity for the enjoyment of the intellectual and spiritual side of life. It seems to me that a man with a college education and an artisan's income would be in an almost ideal position."

There is breadth and depth and common sense in that view. Even if he had stopped short of the presidency, the president was ripe in experience and could survey life with its points of vantage and disadvantage, giving full credit to the benefits of a college education. He places the weight of his opinion with those who favor a college course and against those who doubt the value of it.

In referring to the mistake of thinking that a college education necessarily should be followed by a professional career, he fixes the error in the notion of what the education calls for rather than in the education itself.

The golden nugget in the paragraph is in the assertion that "a college education ought to befit a man or woman for the enjoyment of the intellectual and spiritual side of life." Undoubtedly the president is drawing upon his own experience. Probably it was because he felt that he could not afford to maintain an automobile that he did not own one, yet his life was full of the intellectual and spiritual enjoyment to which he refers. It was made possible by his education. It is not essential that such education be obtained in a college. The generation of men passing off the scene included an array of self-educated lawyers, doctors and statesmen, whose college courses, if they were available at all, were interrupted by the call to arms for the War of the Rebellion. We have only the term, college education, for such an education in this day, for we go with so much speed and specialize to such a degree that once the text-books are closed we rarely go back to them.

It seems to be in the mind of the president that the artisan's income offers an opportunity to enjoy a college education, even though he does not use it in his daily work. When the time for travel in the country comes, as it does come now to everyone, the student of botany sees wild flora where others see only weeds. The student of geology sees the movement of the glaciers where others see only the stony landscape. The student of astronomy sees in the movements of the planets the great plan of the universe when the rest of us just look at the stars. The student of biology has a new interest in that problem of all problems, life, which he can trace from the lowest to the highest forms.

That reference is to natural science, which is only a sector of the sphere that may be surveyed by the educated mind, with all of the enjoyment the president seems to have in mind.

You'll never have a chance in this world unless you take one.

Nothing seems to distort the vision more quickly than trying to look down on those above you.

Water is a refreshing drink. But it's too inexpensive.

Making a fool out of someone is the simplest thing on earth. And that someone is you.

Only a few more weeks left in which to get all washed up for the long cold spell.

Don't worry too much today. Things may be worse tomorrow and then you can worry just twice as hard.

Every reformer has his own pet method for making vice versa.

You can't get all your right. Just for instance, you have the right to save a million dollars.

There are many gasoline saving devices on the market. A pair of comfortable shoes is the best.

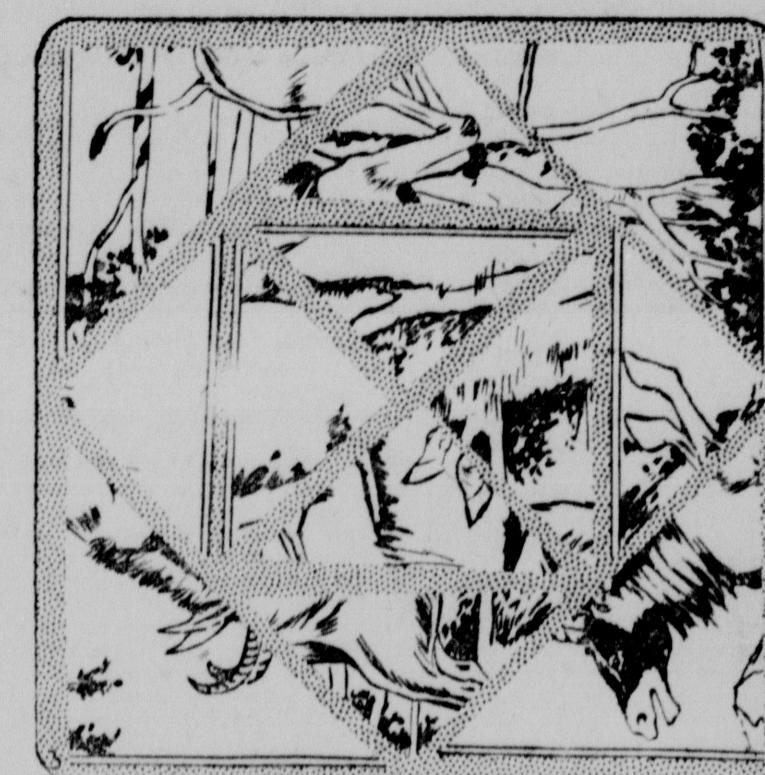
Never hurt dumb animals. If a man thinks he is good looking, don't tell him any different.

While an alarm clock is more reliable than a rooster that doesn't make getting up any easier.

DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH: TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 28, 1926

BY AHERNS

## Tinted Cut-Ups

CUT OUT THE PIECES, PASTE THEM TOGETHER CORRECTLY, COLOR THE SKETCH, AND FILL IN THE MISSING WORDS  
BY HAL COCHRAN

He's not an ox, nor yet a goat,  
Despite his horns and shaggy coat,  
But he can speed  
In time of need,  
For ————— is game of note.

## ON THE AIR

## WEDNESDAY'S PROGRAM

5:00 P. M.

WGHP Detroit—Concert.

WREO Lansing, Mich.—Dinner hour; organ; sports; trio.

WGHS New York—Variety.

WKRC Cincinnati—Orchestra.

WWJ Detroit—Concert.

WLS Chicago—Markets; sports; organ; orchestra.

WGJ Schenectady, N. Y.—Stocks; Book of Knowledge."

WEAF New York—Dinner music.

WXC Detroit—Orchestra.

WYD Chicago—Bedtime story; concert.

6:00 P. M.

WGHP Detroit—Farm market; news.

WCAU Philadelphia—Recital.

WGHS New York—Variety.

WBZ Springfield, Mass.—Variety.

WLS Chicago—Variety.

WDAD Kansas City—"School of the Air."

WRNY New York—Sports; commerce; weather; music.

WGJ Schenectady, N. Y.—Orchestra; agriculture.

WMAQ Chicago—Organ; vocal; orchestra.

WRC Washington—Orchestra.

WEAF New York—Musical; orchestra.

WJRC Detroit—Orchestra.

WHO Des Moines—Symphony orchestra.

WNYC New York—Spanish lesson; police alarms; violin.

7:00 P. M.

WORD Chicago—Musical.

WCAU Philadelphia—Musical variety.

WSM Nashville—Concert; bedtime story.

WLW Chicago—Musical; feature.

WDKA Pittsburgh—Concert.

WVHG Richmond Hill, N. Y.—Music.

WCAU Philadelphia—Musical.

WLS Chicago—Concert.

KGO San Francisco—Concert.

WDAD Kansas City—Popular music.

WRNY New York—Musical varieties.

WEAF New York—Concert. Saxophone Octette. To WCAU, WGR, WSAI, WCAE, WRC, WEEL, WJAR, WOO.

WXC Detroit—Symphony orchestra.

WHO Des Moines—Orchestra.

WNJC New York—Variety.

WGHP Clearwater, Fla.—Vocal and instrumental.

WGHP Detroit—Ensemble; soloists.

WCAU Philadelphia—Musical.

WSM Nashville—Musical.

WLW New York—Vocal and instrumental.

WEMC Berrien Springs, Mich.—Variety.

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# TODAY in SPORTS

## DOPE ON OUTER DEFENSE GIVES YANKS THE EDGE

### Babe Ruth Tips Scales in Favor of American Leaguers

New York, Sept. 28.—(AP)—Babe Ruth's huge bulk tips the scales in favor of the New York Yanks as the strength of the outfields to play in the world's series is weighed. St. Louis has no Ruth. The Yanks slugger with 47 home runs and a batting average of .363 has distanced the best effort of any Cardinal outfielder.

If Blades can join in the Cardinal outer defense, Manager Hornsby will offer three 300 hitters in him, Southworth and Douthit. With the injured Blades probably not in the lineup, Hafey is expected to get the call with Holm next in line. The five St. Louis outfielders with Blades included, although a doubtful starter, have an average of .298.

Ruth, Combs and Meusel, the regular Yank outfield with Paschal and Carlyle in reserve, boast an average of .313.

#### Ruth Dominates Talent.

Ruth dominates the outfield talent involved in the series. He has scored 139 runs and stolen 12 bases. He will be in his seventh world series. Southworth, who will patrol right field for the Cardinals has had more limited world series experience, but his batting average of .319 enabled him in part to score 97 runs and he has made 15 home runs and stolen as many bases.

Only in center field can the Cardinals offer a stronger offense on paper than the Yanks. Douthit has hit .393 to .301 for Combs. The Cardinal scored 97 runs against 110 for Combs but his 22 stolen bases dwarfed a total of 8 for the Yankee.

If Hafey goes to the left field for St. Louis, New York with Meusel in the opposition role, will make a greater impression on the face of the season's returns. Meusel has compiled a batting average of .318 and scored 69 runs with 12 of the runs unaided through the medium of home smashes. He has stolen 18 bases. Hafey has a batting average of .270 with 30 runs scored, 4 homers and two stolen bases. He has played only 75 games.

#### Blades' Good Record.

Blades will bring a good record into the series if he is able to appear actively. He has batted .307 with 81 runs scored, 6 stolen bases, and 8 homers. Holm, the fifth St. Louis outfielder, batted .285, scored 18 runs, stole 3 bases and did not enter the home run class.

Paschal and Carlyle are two hard hitting outfields subject to call from the bench. Paschal has a batting average of .285, seven homers, and the same number of stolen bases. Carlyle's batting average of .281 was assembled while he was wearing two uniforms, his early season hitting being with the Boston Red Sox. He has made two home runs.

### GIBBONS WANTS ANOTHER FIGHT WITH CHAMPION

### Would Wipe Out Stain of Only Knockout in His Career

St. Paul, Sept. 28.—(AP)—A chance to wipe out the stain of the only knockout ever scored over him—that by Gene Tunney—is wanted by Tommy Gibbons of St. Paul.

Gibbons, who was home here today after witnessing the Tunney-Dempsey fight last week, says he desires to square accounts with the new champion.

Although he has not outlined a possible line of action, Gibbons declared that if assured a bout with Tunney he would make another attempt to climb to the top rung of the pugilistic ladder.

Discussing the fight at Philadelphia last week, when Tunney won the heavyweight championship from Dempsey, Gibbons said:

"Tunney's victory, decisive as it was, has not made me believe him a greater fighter than I thought he was before the battle. I am no more afraid of him now than I was before he became champion."

"I was sorry for Dempsey in the ring Thursday night. I felt that there were outside influences affecting his effectiveness."

### DIXON HIGH TO GENESEO; FACE HEAVY ELEVEN

### Bowers' Boys to Face Test of Brawn on Next Saturday

Members of the Dixon high school football squad are recovering slowly from bumps and bruises sustained in Saturday's opening game with Polo. It was an ideal day for the young gladiators to take the field and display their prowess. None of the candidates were overworked, and the new men came through the contest with only minor bruises.

From the side lines, the team seems to be a good one again this year, although there is plenty of room for improvement. The line shows good strength and a section of the back field is fast, but shortened practice, due to the weather conditions, is plainly seen. The team

### HOW THEY STAND

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	91	63	.591
Cleveland	88	66	.571
Philadelphia	83	67	.553
Washington	81	69	.540
Chicago	81	72	.529
Detroit	79	73	.513
St. Louis	61	92	.403
Boston	46	107	.301

#### Yesterday's Results

Cleveland 5; Philadelphia 4. No other games scheduled.

#### Games Today

Washington at Philadelphia. Only one game scheduled.

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	89	65	.578
Cincinnati	87	67	.565
Pittsburgh	84	69	.549
Chicago	82	72	.532
New York	74	77	.494
Brooklyn	71	82	.464
Boston	64	86	.427
Philadelphia	58	91	.389

#### Yesterday's Results

Philadelphia 5; Boston 4. No other games scheduled.

#### Games Today

Philadelphia at Boston. Only one game scheduled.

boasts an average weight of about 155 pounds per man on the heavyweight squad with plenty of material to draw from.

The heavyweights have a hard week of drilling ahead of them for the game next Saturday at Genesee, where they meet the high school team of that city. Genesee for years has boasted a heavy, hard fighting team and reports this year bear out this classification of players. A big delegation of fans accompanied the students and squad to Polo Saturday for the first glimpse of the high school material, and those who did were very favorably impressed with the showing made, considering the long stretch of bad weather which has seriously hampered the practice sessions since the opening of the school year. Another delegation will accompany the team to Genesee next Saturday.

#### Son of Former Dixon Man Manages Pro Team

Older Dixonites who are interested in football are watching the progress of the Rock Island Independents closely, because they feel that in a way the team has a local appeal.

John Dee, manager of the professionals in Rock Island, is the son of a former Dixon man who at one time conducted a hardware store on the corner where the A. L. Geisenheimer & Co. dry goods store is now situated.

### YANKS BACK HOME CONFIDENT THEY WILL TRIM CARDS

### Have Advantage in Knowing Both Parks and Team is Hitting

New York, Sept. 28.—(AP)—The New York Yankees, monarchs of the American League for 1926, and the St. Louis Cardinals, standard bearers in the National circuit for the first time in baseball history, were grooming themselves today for the first world series conflict in the Yank Stadium Saturday.

The triumphant Yanks returned to New York last night from the final swing through the west that saw them clinch the pennant with double victories over the St. Louis Browns last Saturday. Most of the Cardinal regulars have been resting here since games with the Giants and Brooklyn the latter part of the week.

"We'll beat them," Babe Ruth announced, as he elbowed his way at the head of the Yank gang through the small crowd that surrounded the players' special. "There'll be nothing to it." Absolute confidence in their ability to turn back the Cardinals bid for the baseball championship of the world, along with mingled relief and satisfaction that the season was ended successfully after the nerve wracking slump in the final days of the campaign, showed the Yankees in high spirits and playful manner.

**Yanks Have Advantage.**  
No whit less confident were the red birds of St. Louis who are working out for the first time in Yankee Field today. The Yankees have a decided advantage in knowledge of the infield and the backgrounds that will outline the ball as the New Yorkers take their first healthy hurts. No such advantage rests with St. Louis in their own park for the Yanks have been playing the Browns there all season.

The Cardinals are certain they can whip New York decisively in the coming series. Rogers Hornsby and his mates perched in the Yank Stadium for two days while the New York tossers were in a batting slump during the last home stay. Later they saw the Yank twirlers battered about the park and the sight has been good for the morale of the club.

**Alex May Start It.**  
The "Rajah" of the Cardinals today had no idea who would pitch in the first game. Cold weather is expected to enhance the chances of Jess Haines or Grover Cleveland Alexander, star when the Philadelphia Nationals were world's series contestants, getting the mound call. Flint Rhem, youthful ace of the

staff, and canny Bill Sherdel, veteran southpaw, work best under a warm sun.

All Miller Huggins' pitching aces are in fine fettle.

The optimism of the players has spread to the midget manager. "We're confident we are going to win," Huggins said last night when he climbed down from the train. "It'll be the team that does the hitting, and we're sure going to do it. We're out of our hitting slump. We have a more experienced team and more experienced pitchers. We're about even in the infield but ours is steadier. Our outfield is better, stronger and more experienced. There is no doubt in my mind that the Yanks will win."

Babe Ruth, the clouter supreme, amblled up with a lame foot, result of a turned ankle at St. Louis that he termed "nothing" and put in a final word:

"I'll be right there," he said, "along with the rest of the boys. We're all hitting too."

### DUCK SHOOTING PROSPECTS GOOD RESULT OF RAIN

### Sportsmen Expect Big Times Along Illinois River

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 28.—(AP)—Duck shooting prospects for this year, as an aftermath of flood conditions are greater than ever, declared Hon. Robert Scholes, Peoria, president of the Isaac Walton League.

"Thousands of acres of cornfields along the Mississippi, Illinois, Sangamon and other rivers," said President Scholes, "are now covered with water varying in depth from one to ten feet or more. It is doubtful if much of this corn will mature sufficiently to make even duck feed. But in every cornfield, there is an abundance of smartweed and other natural food.

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shooting places, the ordinary man has no place to shoot ducks. Four hundred of these clubs were licensed last year. The acreage owned varies in each club but several own over 2,000 acres, and one has about 5,000 acres.

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#### Johnson Names A. L. Umpires for Series

Chicago, Sept. 28.—(AP)—President B. B. Johnson of the American League has announced Tommy Connolly and George Hildebrand had been appointed as American League umpires in the world's series with Clarence Rowland named as substitute. The naming of Rawland for the substitute berth is a new departure in world's series preparation.

**STEECHER VS PESEK**

Los Angeles, Sept. 28.—(AP)—Joe Stecher, claimant to the world's heavyweight wrestling championship, and John Peseck, Nebraska "tiger man" will meet in a finish match at the Olympic Auditorium, October 6, as a substitute for the indefinitely postponed Stecher-Lewis battle, promoter Daro announced today.

#### WINE BOUGHT PIANO

Chicago—The world's original piano, invented in 1726 by Bartholomew Cristofori, an Italian, was bought once for a case of wine and for more than half a century was lost, its value unknown to its owners, according to a Chicago piano manufacturer. The famous old instrument was built in Vienna for Ferdinand de Medicis, Dr. Fabio Mocenni, a Florentine physician who bought it at a sale in 1820 for a case of wine. It was purchased later by Crosby Brown and presented to the Metropolitan Museum in New York.

The Cardinals are certain they can whip New York decisively in the coming series. Rogers Hornsby and his mates perched in the Yank Stadium for two days while the New York tossers were in a batting slump during the last home stay. Later they saw the Yank twirlers battered about the park and the sight has been good for the morale of the club.

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#### ADVERTISE IN THE DIXON TELEGRAPH



COE'S STAR BACK

Raymond Smith, Coe college halfback, may bear watching when the Kohawks invade the University of Illinois stadium next Saturday, Oct. 2. Smith has been an all Midwest conference halfback for two years which is an indication of his class. The Illini expect many visiting fans for the opening game, including 10,000 Boy Scouts. The Illini will put their strongest team in the field against the collegians.

these flooded fields and almost any good hunter will be able to get enough ducks to make it worth while. This year's shooting at the baited holes in the duck clubs and commercialized shooting holes is problematical. If the water goes down rapidly and stays down, it may be good.

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### Some Features of World Series of Former Years

New York—(AP)—The world's series pitching record for five victories and no defeats, held by the old Colby Cannoneader, John Wesley Coombs, is menaced by only one man, Herb Pennock, in the approaching baseball championship classic. And it would take three triumphs by the frail, wily Yankee southpaw to equal the mark of Colby Jack.

Chief Bender, old-team-mate of Coombs on the Athletics holds the distinction of gaining the most world's series victories, six, but the famous Chippewa Indian tasted several defeats. Coombs' perfect record was achieved as the result of three victories in 1910 and one in 1911 with the Athletics, his fifth coming in 1916 when he had transferred his allegiance to Brooklyn.

Coombs' mark of three victories in one series is shared by three other mound heroes, the late Christy Mathewson, who gave added lustre to his 1905 feat by making all of his games shut-outs against the Athletics; Babe Adams, who registered three triumphs for the Pirates over Detroit in 1909; and Stanley Covaleski, three-time victor for Cleveland over Brooklyn in 1920. "Covey" had a chance last fall to tie or surpass Coombs' mark but was beaten in both of his starts for Washington against the Pirates.

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## NORTHWEST NOW FIGHTING HEAVY FOREST BLAZES

Heavy Rainfall Aided the  
Brave Men in Mad  
Fight on Fires

Spokane, Sept. 28—(AP)—Warfare  
engaging legions of fighters, costing  
thousands of dollars daily for its  
maintenance and leaving in its wake  
losses of millions, has been waged for  
weeks through the forests of western  
United States.

The fight has continued on a hundred  
fronts, with now and then a gain  
here or a loss there, but without the  
aid of the ally that would have decided  
the battle definitely—a general  
heavy rainfall.

### Most Serious Since 1910

The fire menace was more serious  
the last season than any time since  
the great fire of 1910 in the Pacific  
Northwest, when vast areas of valuable  
timber were destroyed and a hundred  
lives were lost. Fatalities  
this year have been small in number,  
although hundreds of acres of timber  
lands have been burned over.

Airplane patrols, field telephones  
and radio and an elaborate system of  
lookouts serve under ordinary circumstances  
to hold the fires in check. But when a general conflagration gets a  
start and blankets the countryside for  
miles with heavy pall of smoke, the  
patrols are unable to detect the smoke  
that tells of a newly started fire.

### Classes of Fires

Forest fires are generally of three  
classes—ground or brush fires, trunk  
fires and crown fires. The former  
creep over the ground, burning the  
low growth. They may do little  
damage to merchantable timber, except  
to kill certain species of trees. Greater  
loss often is to the young  
growth which would form the  
succeeding forest crop. Trunk fires burn  
along the ground and in addition run  
up the tree trunks, burning them so  
as to make the trees useless for  
commercial purposes. Crown fires are  
those that sweep through the tops of  
the trees, jumping for hundreds of  
yards at a bound.

It is when the forest becomes a  
holocaust that the fires run uphill  
more rapidly than down the opposite  
slope, sometimes leaping from one  
hilltop to the next without burning  
over the intervening valley. They  
soon generate their own air currents.

### Throw "Spot Fires"

The giant flames throw "spot fires"  
far and wide, fragments of flaming  
trees being carried skyward by the  
terrible heat and cast ahead of the  
path of the flames as far as six miles.

To contest the advance of ground  
or brush fires, gasoline pumps, wet  
gunny-sacks or blankets are employed  
and the system of trenching is used.  
In fighting a trunk or crown fire that  
is burning from tree to tree above the  
ground, back-birning, sometimes is re-  
sorted to. Unless the winds continue  
favorable and blow the flames toward  
the main fire, the back-birning may soon  
break bounds and offer as great dan-  
ger and difficulty as the one it was  
intended to halt.

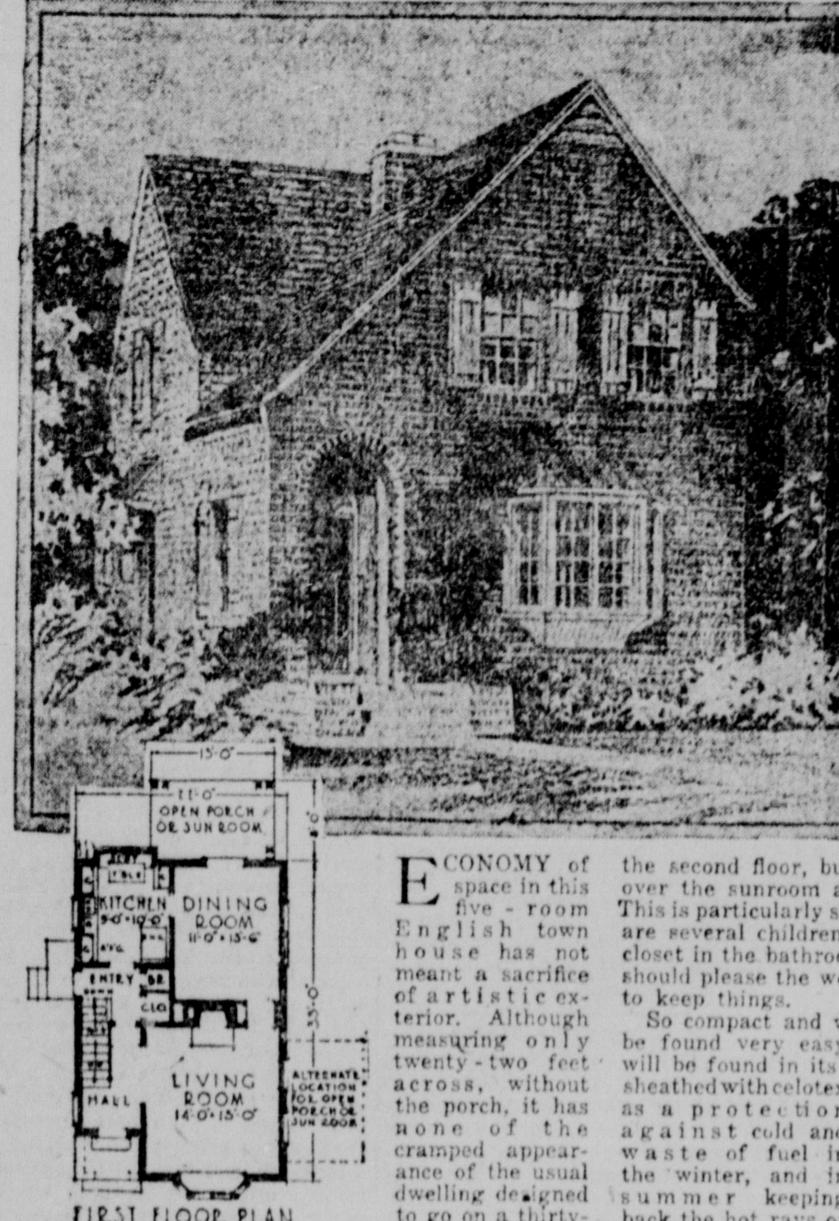
## Flashes of Life

**BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**  
Atlantic City, N. J.—Mrs. Jack  
Dempsey, who missed the coronation  
of Gene Tunney, is to see a new  
champion shortly. She is to attend  
the world series with Jack.

New York—Mrs. Rogers Hornsby,  
who is regarded by the wives of other  
Cardinals as the best looking blonde  
in St. Louis, says she is being treated  
as a queen already and when  
Rogers wants a thing he usually gets  
it.

Washington—The coming baseball  
tray is of secondary interest to Buckey  
Harris, leader of a contender in the  
last classic of the sort. He is to be  
the

## Home-Builder Gets Good Investment Plus Comfort



FIRST FLOOR PLAN  
CEILING HEIGHT 8'-0"

SECOND FLOOR PLAN  
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ECONOMY of  
space in this  
five - room  
English town  
house has not  
meant a sacrifice  
of artistic exterior.

Although  
measuring only  
twenty - two feet  
across, without the  
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none of the  
cramped appear-  
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dwelling designed  
to go on a thirty-  
foot lot. Where

the second floor, but  
over the sunroom, at  
very little additional expense.  
This is particularly serviceable in a family where there  
are several children. Three clothes closets, a linen  
closet in the bathroom and storage space off the hall  
should please the woman who wants plenty of places  
to keep things.

So compact and well-built a house as this, will  
be found very easy to heat. A marked economy  
will be found in its insulation, walls and roof being

sheathed with celotex

as a protection

against cold and

waste of fuel in

the winter, and in

summer bring

back the hot rays of

the sun. Notice also

the lower ventilator

placed in the gable

in front, to better

keep the attic from

getting hot. The

floors are hardwood

throughout and have

a layer of celotex

placed between them

to deaden noises

within the house, a

feature that is

appreciated where

there are small chil-  
dren and noisy boys

in the home.

### Brief Summary of Last Night's News

#### BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Boston—Dr. Clark of the Christian  
Endeavor who has been happily mar-  
ried for fifty years, warns against  
mistaking calf love for the genuine  
article, yet he says, when devotion has  
been tested marriage should follow  
without further delay.

New York—Louis Mistrux, St. Louis  
architect, and Mrs. Mistrux are back  
from a deferred honeymoon in Europe.  
The reasons for the postponement  
came with them—12 children ranging  
from 11-2 to 19 years.

Englewood, N. J.—Five New York  
Giants are just out of jail. They  
spent one night in it after being ar-  
rested for disorderly conduct at Palisades  
Park. None was intoxicated  
gaily.

Los Angeles—The W. C. T. U. now  
is convention to mobilize an army  
of a million women to blast with  
facts any publicity tending to show  
prohibition is a failure.

Rutland, Vt.—Uncle John Wilder,  
fiddler, four other relatives and a  
school mate of President Coolidge are  
to tour the country with an old time  
orchestra.

#### ADVERTISE IN THE DIXON TELEGRAPH

Hugh S. Magill, general secretary of  
National Council of Religious Education,  
proposed as independent candi-  
date.

## Announcement

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Dixon, Ill.

## COLLEGE CHATTER

By Art Carlson

### A BANNER AFTERNOON

One of the biggest afternoons of the  
current football campaign will be  
that of Saturday, Oct. 30. More impor-  
tant games are booked to go to  
decisions that specific day than on  
any other given date during the sea-  
son.

Several inter-sectional battles will  
be on tap. The Illinois-Penn, Michi-  
gan-Navy and Notre Dame-Georgia  
Tech games probably stand out  
above the others.

Open book shelves are built  
into the passageway to the  
dining room. This room is  
unusually large and has three  
windows. Although quite  
small, the kitchen will meet  
all the needs of the average  
small family. It is equipped  
with all the features that  
every housewife has come to  
look for and demand in a well-  
planned house—an abundance  
of cupboards and closets, window  
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### BIG TEN CLASHES

Two Western Conference tilts of  
unusual interest are scheduled for  
the same afternoon. In one, Wisconsin  
and Minnesota go to the mat,  
while the other brings Northwestern  
and Indiana together.

The Badgers and Gophers have  
been arch-rivals down through the  
years. A victory in this game is  
often the means of making the  
chase a success. Last year a great  
Gopher rally enabled Spears' team  
to gain a tie at 12. This cam-  
paign should develop another  
hectic struggle. They play at Madison.

Northwestern, one of the surprise  
teams of a year ago, will meet Indiana  
for the second time during  
the season, an unusual feature of the  
Big Ten card this fall. The first tilt  
will be played at Evanston Oct. 16,  
while the second is booked for  
Bloomington.

Last year the Purple whipped the  
Hoosiers 17-14, in a battle that was  
anybody's until the final whistle. Pat  
Page and his Hoosiers need a double  
win this season to atone for the 1925  
reverse. They aren't apt to turn  
such a trick, however.

Another western fray of more than  
passing interest is that between  
South Dakota State and South Dakota  
University. These teams are  
rivals of long standing and there's  
no quarter given when they take the  
field. Last year State fell, 7-0, but  
only after the toughest kind of  
conflict this season.

### YALE AND ARMY

In the east Yale and Army fight it  
out. Last year the Bulldog chewed  
up the Mule, 28-7. This cam-  
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## ROCHELLE NEWS

Rochelle—The luncheon committee of the Rochelle Chamber of Commerce is opening the luncheon club season with a six-thirty dinner to be given in their club rooms, Thursday evening, September 30th. Attorney Louis A. Zearing of Princeton, Illinois will be the principal speaker. This dinner is open to the general public and every lady and gentleman interested in this community should make it a point to attend.

Eugenie F. Boles, M. D., of Chicago, has purchased the office equipment of the late Dr. F. G. Crowell, second floor 306 Lincoln Highway, and will practice her profession at this location. Dr. Boles comes to Rochelle highly recommended as a physician and surgeon.

The A. & B. Motor Company who have been located in temporary quarters across from the DeLos Hotel on Second Avenue, have moved into their new building on Sixth street. A new display room fronts Sixth street where new models are shown.

Vernon E. Lux, son of Fred E. Lux, editor of the Rochelle News, has accepted a position with the Niles Daily Times of Niles, Ohio.

Rochelle young people have all returned to college.

Lloyd D. Jones has entered the Iowa State College at Ames, where he will take a course in veterinary medicine in the school of Agriculture.

Miss Grace Wedler has entered upon her senior years work at Rockford College.

Warren Whitson has returned to Beloit College for his sophomore year.

Edward Crouse has entered upon his sophomore years work at the University of Wisconsin.

William L. Eckert is entering upon his senior year's work in the School of Commerce and Administration.

Miss Margaret File has resumed her work in the School of Music at the University of Michigan for her sophomore year and Miss Irma Wedler, graduate of Rockford College last June has entered the School of Music at Michigan to study pipe organ.

Miss Margaret Hooley has entered the Columbia School of Physical Culture, Chicago.

William Longenecker has entered the University of Wisconsin for his Freshman year.

LeRoy Harr has entered the University of Illinois for his Freshman year.

Dexter Hizer has returned to the preparatory school at Sheridan, Illinois to continue his studies.

Frank Crowell has resumed his studies at the Northwestern Military Academy at Lake Geneva, Wis.

Glenys Deubenspeck has returned to Oberlin Kindergarten College at Oberlin, Ohio, for her sophomore year work.

Hein Stegmeir has returned to the Northern Illinois Teacher's College, DeKalb for her second year's work.

The degree of Master of Science was conferred upon Robert P. Hackett, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hackett.

ett, by the University of Illinois in August. Mr. Hackett received the degree in accountancy. He received his bachelor's degree in 1923 in the same subject and since that time has been an instructor. Mr. Hackett started his postgraduate work at the state university during the school year 1923-24, also acting as an instructor in the School of Commerce during 1924-25 was an instructor at Lake Forest College and completed his work for the Master of Science degree the past year. He has now resumed his work as an instructor at the University and will work for the degree of doctor of philosophy.

W. Arthur Hackett has resumed his work as an instructor at Beren College, Beren, Ky.

Rochelle Post No. 403, American Legion and the Auxiliary will hold a dancing party in the Legion Hall, Monday evening, October 4th.

The Young Married Folks Dancing Club announce Series A, the first of a series of five dancing parties to be held in the Woodman Hall on the following Thursday evenings, October 21, November 4th and 18th and December 2nd and 16th. A season ticket sells for \$5.00 and the George O'Brien orchestra will furnish the music.

Miss Louisa May has entered upon her work as a teacher at the Starrett School for Girls, Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Kahler have moved to Elgin to reside.

Miss Nora Spath has gone to Janesville, where she has accepted a position at Mercy hospital.

Ronald Alexander, who submitted to an operation for appendicitis Saturday at the Lincoln Hospital, is making a satisfactory recovery.

October 18 to 21 are the dates for the Ogle County Teachers' Institute. The northwestern division of the Illinois State Teachers Association will meet at Dixon, October 22.

Mrs. H. T. Knight is suffering from an injured hand and wrist. She sustained a fall in front of her residence and the ligaments were badly torn and she will be obliged to carry her arm in splints for six weeks or so.

Mrs. and Mrs. George Grant, of Davenport, Iowa, were over Sunday guests of Mrs. Grant's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jacobson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Holland, who have been residing in Geneva, have moved to Sandwich, where Mr. Holland has bought a drug store.

Charles Longenecker has entered upon his second year's study at Bradley Institute, Peoria, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shaw of Chicago, were over Sunday guests in the Floyd Blenfang home.

A killing frost visited this community Saturday night and early Sunday morning. Tomato vines, flowers and other foliage was killed. It froze ice in the troughs and the ground in the country.

The Peterson Motor Sales Co., with headquarters at DeKalb, have sold their Rochelle branch to the Miller-Hens Motor Sales Co. of Waukegan, who will continue the business of distributing the Oakland and Pontiac automobile line at the old stand, the

Countryman building on Fourth avenue.

The Rochelle high school football eleven will open the Rock River Conference season here with Morrison at Rochelle Saturday, and Coaches Pat Dawson and Hiltold are driving the men hard to round them off into condition. After winning a 6-0 victory over Byron, Rochelle had an open date Saturday and the heavies scouted the Dixon, Sterling and Belvidere games.

Dawson is using Countryman at left end, Turman and Klewin at left tackle, Daum and Gilbertson at left guard, Payne and Haag at center, Hagg and Bauder at right guard, Lanhef and Langdon at right tackle, Pierce and Nutt at right end, Taylor and Stocking at quarterback, Flanagan at left halfback, Langhoff at fullback, and Babb and Cooper at right halfback.

The line is working well under fire and the team as a whole is showing promise, which with experience, will make them a serious conference contender. The schedule contains six out of town and three home games.

Following is Rochelle schedule for the season:

Oct. 2—Morrison at Rochelle.

Oct. 9—Belvidere at Belvidere.

Oct. 22—Polo at Polo.

Oct. 30—Sterling at Sterling.

Nov. 6—Dixon at Rochelle.

Nov. 11—Mendota at Mendota.

Nov. 25—Rock Falls at Rochelle.

The sponsors for the high school classes have been appointed and are, for the Seniors, Miss Cradit and Mr. Reppke; for the Juniors, Miss Frazer and Mr. Hills; for the Sophomores, Miss McClelland and Miss Thompson; and for the Freshmen, Miss Happen and Miss Carten. Class activities will be encouraged.

Miss Carten, the librarian, has been busy organizing the library. The books are classified according to the Devery Decimal System, which will make for greater efficiency in the use of the library. A number of new books have been added which are to be used as reference books for class use. Many magazines of educational value have been subscribed for, and shall be used in connection with class work.

The Student Body Association is selling tickets for an athletic benefit show. The proceeds are to be used in the purchase of new football equipment of which the team is in need.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Kepner were host and hostess to the dinner club of which they are members Thursday evening. Miss Lu Bain was the guest of honor, club night falling on her birthday anniversary.

Attorney and Mrs. Martin V. German will entertain their dinner club from Rochelle at their home in Oregon Monday evening.

Mrs. John Hayes, Sr., died Friday.

Funeral services for Mrs. Carrie C. Ladd were held here Saturday afternoon. Rev. S. S. Langdee officiating.

Dr. C. F. Clarke has opened up an office at Ashton for the convenience of his patrons in that vicinity. He, however, retains his office here where he spends the major portion of his time.

## IN NEW YORK

New York—Scattered notes from a ramble about Manhattan:

The produce market wharves at midnight. The food of a city is coming by ship, rail and motor.

A million dollars a day in vegetables alone. All in two blocks on the west riverfront.

Just outside the docks wait the trucks. A great metal door separates them. They must distribute the food to the seven millions.

When the door is raised there will be a rush and a bedlam of voices.

One two-three o'clock! And a gong sounds in the night, as though for time out for the tired fighters.

In rush the consignees. 3:30 is their appointed hour.

Buying, buying, buying. Traders of the pre-dawn hours.

All around the city sleeps. Somewhere behind the black mountains formed by the silhouettes of skyscrapers of the downtown section.

Slowly the city drops off to sleep. One o'clock! Two! Three!

Things are just getting lively at a couple of night clubs.

Sleep just begins to grow heavy elsewhere.

Things just begin to get liveliest along the wharves.

Food is coming for breakfast.

In the morning the women will go with slips and market baskets.

It will not occur to them to question how, where, or why. All the fruits and vegetables will be there, washed and polished and shining and inviting.

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For the world has been coming in at the docks over night.

Red persimmons from the Orient.

The golden lemons of Italy.

The oranges of California and Florida.

The rich yellow grapefruit.

Bahamas. West Indies. Panama. All the west coast of South America.

Bananas, coconuts, purple grapes.

They come to Manhattan in the dead of night, dumped in the long wooden caverns. The streets are clear now.

No need for traffic worries.

Everything will get through.

Saw Red Grange come to town to

see himself in the movies. And a rare good actor he seemeth to me, considering that his training was

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Mayhap you'll hear more about it in

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He is still to be seen about "the street," but his fangs have not been bared for many a day, except when gouged deep into one of those \$3.50 stale sandwiches they

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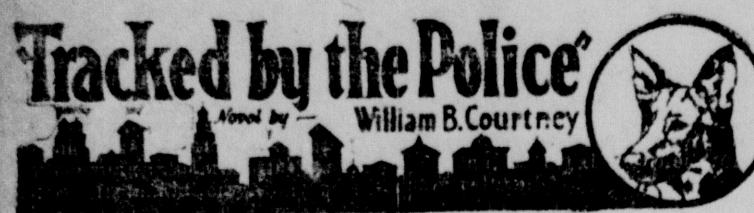
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**SYNOPSIS**  
Among the things that have sustained Jimmy Ford through the horrors of war in France are letters from his sweetheart, Ruth Allen. One of these letters upsets him, because it tells of the attention Dan Murtagh, a politician, pays her in Jimmy's absence. In his heartbreak he volunteers for a dangerous raid. A German war dog gives her life to save his. Jimmy, in gratitude, adopts her puppy, and smuggles it home after the war. Jimmy's father, a police lieutenant, is mysteriously murdered. Jimmy joins the Force to avenge him; and has an able ally in Rin-Tin-Tin, now full-grown.

**CHAPTER 3—Continued**  
But being a "one man dog" put no limitations upon the number of women a shaggy fellow might cherish, so Rinny whole-heartedly loved two of the sex—Widow Ford and Ruth Allen. The first with dignity, the second with off-hand condescension. Of course for the present Rinny's innate modesty—to say nothing of convenience—kept him from adding Ruth to his list of morning calls; but he had hopes!

Mrs. Ford, though, was on his list, last, but not least. Rinny awoke her now, not by the indefatigable process of pulling off the covers, nor the coarse method of barking, nor yet by roughly playing nips, but by gentlyuzzling the hand she habitually flung loosely over the space where her Jim used to sleep in the bed beside her. A compassionate and understanding touch that Rinny had taught himself.

Breakfast in the Ford home. The widow fussing lovingly over the preparation of toast and bacon and eggs and coffee, while Rinny played alternately valet to Jimmy and pet to the mother, and lay and fat and wheezy Flaherty shifted for himself, so far as Rinny was concerned.

"If you had boxing gloves on those hands of yours you wouldn't be able to open doors except with an axe, so that makes Rinny smarter than you," teased Jimmy.

"There's more truth in poetry than appears to the eye," quoth Flaherty, who was always repeating proverbs and never got one straight.

The Widow Ford meantime stood as one apart and detached, looking at Jimmy with a fondness and an affectionate intensity that gave her silvery framed face an aura of unearthliness, of premature spirituality. Jimmy felt the strange sanctification, yet could not fathom it; a more erudite and philosophic stranger might have thrilled at the apparent embodiment of furloughed immortality in the manner in which she fondled and guided and guarded her boy with her eyes. Every soft look a prayer.

Rinny felt it. There his instinct served to bring him closer to the essential and fundamental truth than Jimmy's blundering masculine reason. Rinny knew it for the purest ray of serene mother love. Consequently he trod gently and with reverent dignity as he padded to the widow after he had opened the door. Up—up—on his hind legs he reared, resting his paws so lightly on the little lady's frail shoulders that they never wrinkled even ever so slightly the prim gingham of her house wrap. Then he timidly licked the cresting front wave of her hair, the tip of her ear, with his rough tongue, the while worshipping her with his eyes. Then down and to the door to wait, his romping frivolities gradually coming back full blast as he champed through the final minute of Jimmy's departure.

Rinny looked on and barked with approval while Jimmy kissed his mother. He knew what Jimmy did not know—that the kiss was a benediction, a breathed plea for his safe return.

For the widow had not forgotten—one side of his face shaved Jimmy and Rinny were fed and spruced up and ready to depart. They always left half an hour earlier than need be—these two pals who shared not only the dangers and innumerable emergencies of the daily guarding of the sidewalks of New York, but the love of Ruth Allen too. Which is why they left ahead of time—so that they might have the opportunity of visiting with Ruth for a few cherished minutes each morning, noon or night, whatever hour Jimmy's assignment took him and Rinny forth. Of course these precious fragments of daily meetings—holding hands there at the top of the frayed carpeted stairs in the dim upper hallway, while Rinny thumped muffled approval on the ancient Arminister—were in addition to the regular Wednesday and Saturday and Sunday night courtings. That is, in so far as those old-fashioned sweetheart evenings could be accommodated to the varying hours of Jimmy's copy duty. Some months, with Jimmy on night work, Wednesday night would take place on Saturday morning—in the social scheme of Ruth and Rinny and him. 'Tis a matter of small convenience to be the sweetie of a cop!

(To be continued)

#### 300 EGGS IN OMLET

Chicago—When the American Theosophical Society held a banquet in connection with its recent convention here, the culinary force of a hotel was taxed to manufacture a huge omlet, containing 300 eggs and 300 pounds of mushrooms, the single dish of the meal.

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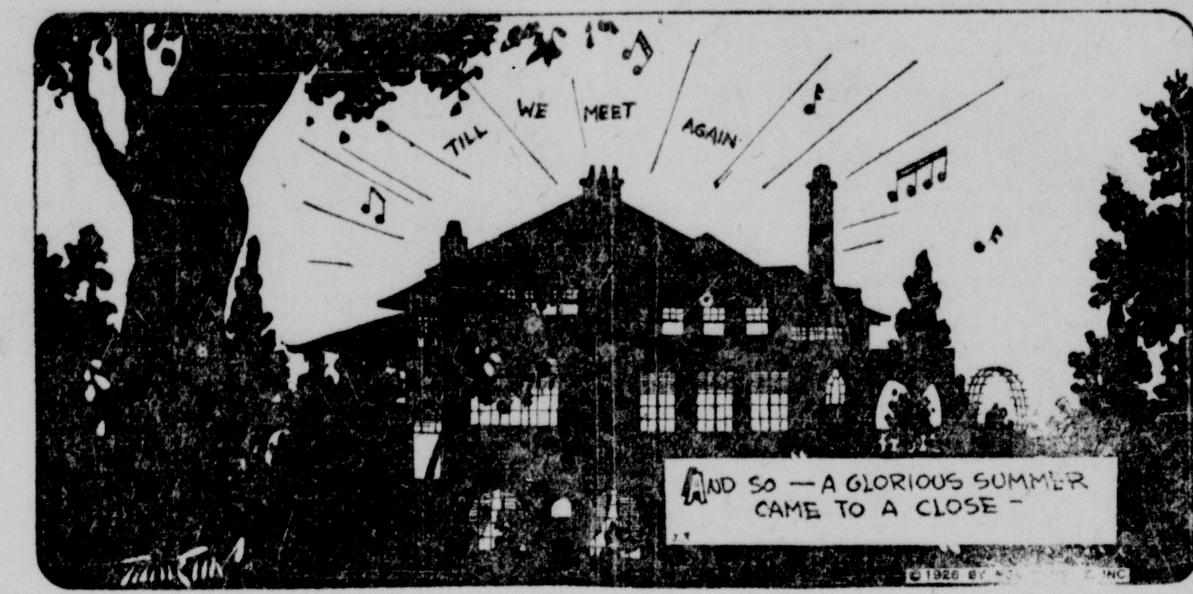
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#### Good-bye—!



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#### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



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First Street west of Arch.	37.95
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Relaying drain pipe to curb in front of E. corner.	
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Total cost of construction	\$2655.79
Lawful expense 6% of estimate	5271.12
For lapsing interest	1710.00
Engineering, including inspection	1813.09
Total cost of improvement	\$71250.00
Estimated cost of improvement	50000.00
Amount to be rebated (25%)	\$23750.00
The excess of the amount levied herewith to pay for the cost of said improvement and lawful expense attending the same above the foregoing total actual cost of said improvement and estimated amount of said improvement total amount of said improvement estimated amount for interest on bonds, to wit the sum of \$23750.00, will upon settlement with the contractor being made, be rebated proportionately to the several properties included within the assessment roll.	

Public notice is further given that said Court has set said Certificate and any objections that may be filed for hearing at nine o'clock, October 10, A. D. 1926, before which time any person interested may file objections to said Certificate at said hearing and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true. Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 23rd day of September, A. D. 1926.

THE BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS, AND ITS MEMBERS.

By E. E. Wingert, their Attorney.

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FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also store building at 527 Depot Ave. Inquire at 805 Amboy Marion Townships.

Kent Bridge.

Proposals shall be made on forms furnished by Fred W. Leake, County Superintendent of Highways, or by the Department of Public Works and Buildings, Division of Highways.

The bridge for which bids are called is located 3 1/2 miles east of Walton on the west side of the Illinois Central Railroad.

The work consists of the removal of the existing structure by the contractor, the furnishing of all labor, tools, machinery, etc., and the construction of a re-inforced concrete girder type of bridge on the abutments in accordance with the detailed plan on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Highways, also the supplying of yards of borrow for approach and shoulders.

All proposals for this construction shall be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of five (5) percent of the gross sum bid, but in no case will a certified check for less than one hundred (100) dollars be considered.

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Estimate of Quantities Involved.

13,160 yards of Class A Concrete.

14370 pounds of reinforcing steel.

515 pounds of Rockers and plates.

1 name plate.

50 cu. yards of Borrow.

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## RE-DISCOVERING ILLINOIS

By LESTER B. CROSHY

Illinois Chamber of Commerce

Do you know where the first gas-line engine in all the world was built? Go to Sterling, Illinois, and local historians there will tell you, ready to take oath that what they say is true, that the first internal combustion engine, operated on gasoline, was built in the plant of the William & Orton Mfg. Co., now the Charter Gas Engine Co., of Sterling. They will like to tell you about it.

Sterling and Rock Falls are in reality one city, straddling the Rock river, and since their beginning have been the home of men skilled in the mechanics of metals. Many of these artisans, originally from the east, visited the Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia in 1876.

One of the startling contrivances there was a mechanical marvel. It was an engine that operated on gas. It made a great impression on the minds of T. B. Williams and B. E. Orton. Gasoline was a waste product then; runs into streams or burned in flares to get rid of it. If an engine could be run on gas why not on gasoline?

Orton and Williams went to work on it. That was quite a time back, John D. Rockefeller was only 36 then and Standard Oil, as a trust, was not to be born for another six years. Harry Ford was thirteen, a schoolboy in Greenfield, Mich. Harry F. Sinclair was only born that year. Yet how the gasoline engine was to affect their fortunes!

They tell me in Rock Falls and Sterling that Harry Berger mechanized, now dead and gone, and little rewarded while he lived, did more than any other man to bring that first gasoline engine into existence. Unfortunately there seems to be no written record of the years it took or the money it took—but an engine finally ran.

Legend has it that this first engine was sold to Lawrence Bros., makers of builders' hardware, in 1886, that they paid \$1,000 for it, and that it ran in their shop until 1892 when it was yanked out for one of newer design.

Original patents, I am told, were taken out in the name of John Charter who got control of the firm and renamed it the Charter Gas Engine Co., a name it now bears. It is interesting to note that this company, which has specialized always in stationary engines, is now making a heavy-duty engine—pioneering again for crude oil is now the cheap fuel as gasoline in the beginning.

I mentioned builders' hardware. Fifty years ago John H. and Edwin F. Lawrence kept a hardware store in Sterling. Then they began to make barbed wire and builders' hardware. They prospered. Others followed in. Steel barn door hangers were one of their first offerings to the trade.

Today Rock Falls and Sterling comprise one of the largest centers for builders' hardware in all the central west. The most of the men who entered the business came out of the Lawrence plant or the engine factory. Finally came more complicated machinery and wood working grew up.

Have you ever heard of the machine that makes fat women thin; fat men, too? The machines sell for \$1,000 each and 240 have been made—\$240,000 for making lean ladies out of bulbous ones! And an order is in for twenty more machines. The Fort Dearborn Mfg. Co., of Sterling, makes 'em. The inventor, I was told, got the idea when he came home one day and found his wife rolling on the floor.

This company makes any sort of special machinery. One now being turned out is a candy machine; 9,000 pieces of candy a minute, 450 machines made and sold! This machine's specialty is candy shaped like raspberries, cucumbers, peanuts, bananas and peas. One cough drop company has just ordered fifteen of them. Figure the cough drops at fifteen times 2,000 a minute!

When a veneer taping machine was invented the world's market was estimate at fifty machines. That was to be saturation point. But more than 1,000 have been sold to date. It's a busy world.

If there is money in the mechanical de-fatting of over-stuffed ladies there's also money in bobbed hair. Leo J. Wahl is building an 18-room house in Sterling. He is reported well on his way to his first million.

As a boy he never paid much attention to girls or other frivolous things. War came and he joined the Big Parade.

Army officers discovered genius in

ducts, machinery, tools, gas and gasoline engines, woodenware, toys, gravestones, hearse, hairclippers, and many other things.

Hezekiah Brink, first settler, who came here in 1834 and who used to tell the story of how the wolves broke into his cabin and stole his food, would hardly know the place. They say there are fifty-seven twists and turns in the Lincoln Highway between Sterling and Dixon.

The Lincoln Highway follows Hezekiah's footsteps. He hewed the trail out, cutting the easiest pathway. The Lincoln Highway through Sterling township is paved with brick. You'll know when you get there if you travel the road by that. This brick predates concrete. It was the first stretch of paving on the Lincoln Highway west of Chicago. The brick is a monument to Sterling's precocity in roadbuilding.

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him and he was assigned to laboratory work. He invented a new type of electric hair clipper. Simple and different, it is said already to have saved the barbers of the United States and Canada not less than \$6,000,000 in investment. The clipper plant employs forty people. Bobbed hair and war did it.

The well known World War used millions of pounds of Sterling barbed wire, too. But whether the war was won by barbed wire or the Carolus barbed wire cutter is a mooted question in Sterling today. Dr. W. B. Carolus, a practicing physician in Sterling, invented a tool which will strip off bolt or wire in a twinkling to three-fourths of an inch in diameter.

Lloyd Carolus, his son, went overseas and 56,000 of the doctor's wire cutters went too. Uncle Sam's soldiers as a result walked through the entanglements cutting them like butchers.

Ever bear of grave stones being sold by mail. Walter J. Moore, of Sterling, conceived the idea of merchandising monuments by mail thirty years ago. The business today is large. He ships all over the United States. Another company makes limousine hearsears. That business grew when wagon-making became decadent. But we will turn to livelier things.

One of the outstanding developments in Rock Falls and Sterling is the wooden toy industry. Rock Falls is the home of the Hustler toys and other toys; wooden dogs that run and bark, wooden beads in many colors, little wooden crews that row boats.

Used to be that Europe made our toys, cheap tin soldiers and pewter urbans, tin wagons and fire engines. They fell to pieces in no time. American wooden toys are running them out of the market. American wooden toys cost more but they last better and save many tears.

Clare A. Wetzel, normal training school teacher, is credited with being the father of the toy industry in Sterling and Rock Falls. The toy business used to be seasonal, limited mostly to Christmas trade. Today it is an all year business, due largely to more freedom with money, more travel and summer resort development. Yet one plant in Rock Falls has 500,000 toys ready for the holiday trade.

Ever hear of a gladioli farm? Roy E. Shelley as a boy loved to hunt and fish. The outdoors was his. After he was graduated from high school in Sterling he went back to his father's farm, overlooking the Rock river east of Sterling. One day he planted thirteen gladioli bulbs!

Those thirteen bulbs changed the way of his life. This season he shipped out to the world about 5,000,000 gladioli bulbs. Edgewater farm, with fifteen acres of blooms, is today one of the show places in northern Illinois. Shelley is called the "gladiolus king."

It is an uncommon thing for the Sterling postoffice to handle 2,500 boxes of gladioli bulbs, inbound, in a day. More go out in barrels and wooden boxes by freight. It was work the boy loved and it has all grown up in a dozen years!

Sterling markets other farm products. Sterling on a tomato is like sterling on silver. Sterling brand tomatoes are highly prized on the Chicago market, so much so in fact that complaints have been made of other communities misbranding their tomatoes and using the name to gain higher prices. A few miles out is a great muskmelon center.

The J. M. Paver company has a cannery in Sterling. This year it canned the products of 2,700 acres of rich farmland. All in one field that would be a strip a quarter mile wide and seventeen miles long. Sixty-five acres were devoted to carrots, 100 to lima beans, 125 to pumpkins, 911 to peas and 1,500 acres to corn.

A milk condensing plant consumes the milk from 3,500 cows, handling up to 50,000 pounds of milk a day.

Diversification has made this district prosperous. Not only diversification in farming but in manufacturing. Builders' hardware, metal products

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As between a September house fly on a sticky afternoon an' a clerk that hangs onto you I believe I prefer th' house fly. There seems to be an un-written law against prohibition.

Her Own Way. A Story of a Girl of Today

JUDY'S DILEMMA

"Judy, do you know you have completed my cure?" said John Meredith. "Never again can I call myself cured by life, never again can I say that I am not as other men are, for I find that I can be moved by pure emotion—thank God for that! And you do love me, Judy, do you not?"

The question brought me back with a thud. I stood up and shook my soft feathered trimmed evening wrap into place.

"You do love me," he whispered again.

"But your soft lips did answer my

## ABE MARTIN



she said as she came through the drawing room door out into the hall. John also stepped forward. "I am here with Judy, Sir," he said.

In spite of all his efforts to keep emotion out of his voice it slightly trembled.

John looked at me rather curiously but only remarked, "I never saw you looking so lovely, Judy; I don't think I ever saw you in white before. If anyone had asked me, I do not think that I would have said that pure white, without a vestige of color to relieve it, would be the most becoming to you."

"I would have said so," broke in John impulsively. "From the moment my eyes rested on her yesterday I knew that only the absence of all color that we always associate with angelic purity would bring out her radiant beauty."

"Jack, anyone would know you had always lived with books," exclaimed Joan.

"Of course that poetical language sounds perfectly natural to you, but probably any other of Judy's young men would have said, 'Gad, Judy, you are certainly some chicken, decked out in ostrich feathers'."

"Don't be silly, Joan," I said, for

## OBITUARY

RICHARD A. WILLIAMS

A Benicia, Calif. paper had the following concerning the death of Richard A. Williams, a relative of Mrs. Jennie Finkler of this city:

The many friends of Richard A. Williams were saddened to learn Tuesday morning that he had passed away during the night at Colfax where he had been making a brave fight to stay the ravages of the disease that had fastened upon him.

Stricken about two years ago, as the result of being gassed while overseas during the war, he made every effort to regain his health. He was at a time in the hospital at Palo Alto, and also at Livermore. He came back to Benicia and remained for awhile later going to Colfax for treatment.

The deceased was a native of Napa, 31 years of age. In 1899 he came with his parents to Benicia. He at

tended the Benicia schools and later worked as a motion picture operator in the G & A and Majestic theaters.

On September 23rd, 1917, Mr. Williams enlisted and arrived in France, May 14th, 1918, and was in the following engagements: St. Mihiel, Arvin, Verdun, Argonne, Woerw Woods, Eppernay and Chalons-sur-Marne. He received his discharge at the Presidio in San Francisco as a member of the 309th machine gun battalion of the 78th division.

He is survived by his wife, Ramona,

his mother, Mrs. M. E. Williams, his sister, Mrs. Frank Alexander and a brother, Lloyd A. Williams, all of Benicia, who have the sympathy of the community in their loss.

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